

1 AN ACT
2 relating to a feasibility study regarding the establishment of a
3 dental school at the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
4 at El Paso.

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 61, Education Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 61.0666 to read as follows:

9 SCHOOL; EL PASO. (a) The board shall conduct a study to examine
10 the need for and feasibility of establishing a dental school in El
11 Paso as a component of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences
12 Center. The board shall consult with the board of regents of the
13 Texas Tech University System in conducting the study.

(b) Not later than November 1, 2012, the board shall report results of the study required by this section to the governor, lieutenant governor, speaker of the house of representatives, and chief of staff of each legislative standing committee with jurisdiction over higher education.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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S.B. No. 1020

David Newkurt

President of the Senate

Joe Straus

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1020 passed the Senate on
March 31, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Patry Spaw

Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1020 passed the House on
May 23, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 138, Nays 7, two
present not voting.

Robert Honey

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

17 JUN '11

Date

RICK PERRY

Governor

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